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Spone's (formerly French's) Book Store.

ASTOUNDING FRAUDS.—C. L. C. Baker, Chief Detective of the War Department, has been for some time engaged in ferreting out frauds in New York. We learn from the New York Times that he has arrested and sent to the Old Capitol prison twenty-seven bounty brokers and others, who have for eighteen months or more been engaged in defrauding the Government by enlisting bounty jumpers, and aiding them in deserting after their arrival in camp, and by forging certificates of enlistment and obtaining credits on these at the Provost Marshal General's office. Several of these malefactors have made fortunes of from \$50,000, to \$250,000, through these frauds since the beginning of the war. A boatman of New York city, whom the Colonel has arrested, has \$15,000 to his credit at the Broadway Bank; one John Fay, a hackman, has realized \$200,000; Sergeant Mulhern, of the 20th New York battery, has been enabled to purchase a farm in New Jersey, valued at \$14,000. Aided by corrupt surgeons, the brokers have been suffered to enlist men who are physically unfit for service; and by forging guardian's papers, they enlisted boys of fifteen. It is alleged that the United States officers in the civil service have winked at the bounty brokers' proceedings. The Times says:

"Col. Baker thinks that nearly, if not quite two thirds of our recent credits, are based upon forged certificates of enlistment, or on recruits who have deserted, and are now walking the streets; and therefore he inclines to the opinion that Provost Marshal General Fry's demand for twenty-one thousand men is not unjust."—*Wash. Chron.*

The steamer Australasian, from Liverpool, has arrived at New York with one week's later news. The news of peace negotiations created much talk, and had a depressing effect on the cotton market. No important foreign news.

At a fashionable Hebrew wedding in Hartford, recently, the bride was dressed in an elegant and expensive lilac colored moire antique dress, richly trimmed. On her head she wore a coronet of green leaves and orange flowers, falling from which was a white lace veil of delicate texture enveloping her whole figure. One of the bridesmaids was also dressed in a very rich silver gray moire antique dress.

The Naval Committee appointed to report on the subject of rifled cannon for the navy, report in favor of the Parrott guns. The bursting of these guns before Fort Fisher is generally ascribed to premature explosions of defective shells in the pieces, rather than to any inherent defects.

Jas. A. Cassard, of Prince Georges co., Md., and Philip Littig, of Baltimore city, have been appointed, the former to be an Acting Assistant Paymaster and the latter to be an Acting Assistant Surgeon in the U. S. army.

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feb 1—1m

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